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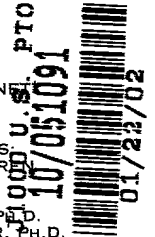
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Enclosed are:

- ☒ X A specification consisting of 35 pages
- ☒ X 15 sheet(s) of formal drawings
- ☒ X An assignment of the invention - \$40.00 Recording Fee
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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27
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